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TITLE:

Methods and Devices for Coupling Optoelectronic Packages

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Enclosed are the following papers relating to the above-named application for patent:

Specification

4 Sheets of drawings containing FIGS. 1-8

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